

Event: Turning Around Chronically Low Performing Schools (1.2.157)

Location: Cumberland County Community College, Vineland, NJ

Date: December 7, 2010

Agenda:

8:00AM – 8:30AM: REGISTRATION/CHECK IN

8:30AM – 9:00AM: LEVELS OF EVIDENCE ACTIVITY

*Facilitated by **Hilda Rosario**, REL Mid-Atlantic & REL Mid-Atlantic LES*

Do Now Activity—Using the handouts at your table, review the IES levels of evidence for the Practice Guide and describe the kinds of research that count as strong, moderate and low evidence; identify specific examples

9:00AM – 10:00AM: WELCOME & OVERVIEW OF RESEARCH AND RATIONALE FOR PRACTICE GUIDES

*Dean **Richard De Lisi**, Rutgers University Graduate School of Education
Claudia Burzichelli, REL Mid-Atlantic*

10:00AM – 10:15AM: BREAK

10:15AM – 11:30AM: GENERAL SESSION PRESENTATION

***Marlene Darwin**, Institutes for American Research*

11:30AM – 12:00PM: CHECKLIST FOR RECOMMENDATIONS - IES Practice Guide

***Hilda Rosario**, REL Mid-Atlantic*

12:00PM – 12:45PM: SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION

*Facilitated by **Hilda Rosario**, REL Mid-Atlantic, REL Mid-Atlantic LES & **Marlene Darwin**, American Institutes for Research*

12:45PM – 1:00PM: BREAK

1:00PM – 2:00PM: SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION - ACTION PLAN

*Facilitated by **Hilda Rosario**, REL Mid-Atlantic; REL Mid-Atlantic LES; and representatives from NJDOE*

2:00PM – 3:00PM: SCHOOL TEAMS PRESENT

***Hilda Rosario**, REL Mid-Atlantic
Marlene Darwin, Institute for American Research*

3:00PM – 3:30PM: WRAP-UP & NEXT STEPS

***Claudia Burzichelli**, REL Mid-Atlantic*